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FM AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

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AMEMBASSY SINGAPORE

AMEMBASSY VIENTIANE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PORG, MILI, TH

SUBJ: UN REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE

1. U.S. MISSION HAS BEEN ASKED TO PROVIDE GROUND HANDLING SUPPORT TO AUSTRALIAN AIRCREWS AND AIRCRAFT OPERATING OUT OF DON MUANG INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT UNDER THE UN BANNER. THIS WOULD INVOLVE SOME PALLETIZING AND FORK LIFT WORK BY USAF/ CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL IN ADDITION TO NORMAL GROUND SERVICING OF THE TWO C-130 AIRCRAFT PROVIDED BY THE AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT. WE HAVE BEEN INFORMED THAT THE RTG DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL AVIATION (DCA) HAS NO OBJECTION TO THE OPERATION BUT THE SUPPORT CANNOT BE HANDLED ON THE CIVIL RAMP OWING TO SPACE RESTRICTIONS. THE DCA IS AGREEABLE TO THE OPERATION BEING CONDUCTED ON THE MILITARY SIDE OF THE AIRPORT. THE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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USAF OCCUPIED PORTION OF THE RAMP IS THE ONLY SUITABLE

AREA AND USAF SUPPORT CAN BE PROVIDED WITHOUT  
DEGRADATION OF OUR OTHER ROUTINE OPERATIONS.

2. THE REQUEST FROM THE UN REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVE TO  
THE RTG MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS (MFA) LISTS DESTINATIONS  
OF SINGAPORE, BANGKOK, VIENTIANE, SAIGON AND  
PHNOM PENH. THE PURPOSE CITED IS TO CARRY CARGO CONSISTING  
OF RELIEF SUPPLIES FOR THE UNITED NATIONS, UNICEF, UNHCR,  
OTHER UN ORGANIZATIONS, AND WHERE AUTHORIZED BY THE UN,  
SUPPLIES FOR RELIEF ORGANIZATIONS SUCH AS THE INTERNATIONAL  
COMMITTEE OF THE RED CROSS. INFORMAL APPROVAL HAS BEEN  
GRANTED BY MFA, AND INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AERONAUTICS  
ORGANIZATION (ICAO) REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVES HAVE OBTAINED  
LANDING RIGHTS FOR THE PROJECT. THIS PROJECT WILL  
COMMENCE BEFORE THE END OF THIS WEEK AND WE HAVE BEEN  
ADVISED THAT THE BANGKOK PORTION SHOULD BE COMPLETED WITHIN  
21 DAYS OF THE STARTING DATE. THE OPERATION WILL THEN  
MOVE TO ANOTHER LOCATION, PROBABLY BUTTERWORTH. THE UN IS  
PREPARED TO REIMBURSE THE USG IF THIS IS A REQUIREMENT.

3. PLEASE INFORM US BY IMMEDIATE CABLE IF THERE IS ANY  
OBJECTION TO OUR PARTICIPATION IN THIS HUMANITARIAN  
EFFORT.  
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